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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: C. Annick
NORIO OHKUMA, ET AL.	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2853
Appln. No.: 08/634,255	)	
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Filed: April 18, 1996	)	
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For: LIQUID JET RECORDING	)	March 23, 2000
HEAD AND PROCESS FOR	:	
PRODUCTION THEREOF	)	

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Assistant Commissioner of  
Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action  
dated September 23, 1999 for three (3) months from December 23,  
1999 to March 23, 2000.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$ 870.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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